## Core 2560: Day-by-day outline (Last updated:10/24/08)

Class Day #	Class Date	In-class Topic	Reading & Homework Due	Major Assign. Due?
Day 1	Mon. Sept. 8	Class Introduction & overview		
Day 2	Wed., Sept. 10	<b>GLOBALIZATION</b> Defining globalization different perspectives <u>Video(s)</u> : Wal-Mart and American jobs	<ul> <li>Held, D. et al. <u>"What is globalization?"</u> (parts 1-9)</li> <li>Friedman, T. "The new system" (pp. 8-19, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li>Lee, P. "Three processes of dissolving boundaries" (pp. 58-71, <u>Blackboard</u>)</li> <li><u>Write short bio for Blackboard</u>, submit using "Send your paper" function in Blackboard</li> </ul>	
Day 3	Mon., Sept. 15	<b>GLOBALIZATION</b> Culture, language & identity	<ul> <li>Phillipson, R. "Linguistic imperialism" (<u>Blackboard readings</u>)</li> <li>Alatis &amp; Straehle. "Imperialism, chauvinism, and paranoia" (<u>Blackboard readings</u>)</li> <li>Franklin, J. "We English speakers need incentives to learn other languages" (<u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Blog POST No. 1</u></li> </ul>	Group Discussion Leaders & Region Experts Sign-up
Day 4	Wed., Sept. 17	<b>THE U.S.</b> "Self" analysis: America - "First Universal Nation"? <u>Video:</u> "The First Universal Nation"	<ul> <li>Ben Wattenberg v. Patrick Buchanan on U.S. Immigration (<u>Blackboard</u> <u>Readings</u>)</li> <li>Haman, C. "US races to erect controversial steel fence on Mexican border" (<u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Global Forum <b>POST</b> No. 1</u></li> </ul>	Personal reflection paper due
Day 5	Mon., Sept. 22	<b>THE U.S.</b> "Self" analysis: The U.S. and global politics & economics - A brief overview	<ul> <li>Bush, G.W. <u>"The national security</u> strategy of the USA" (Read:</li> <li>"Introduction" &amp; "Overview of America's International Strategy" <u>ONLY</u>)</li> <li>Daalder, I., &amp; Lindsay, J. "The Bush revolution" (pp. 152-165, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li>Soros, G. "The bubble of American supremacy" (Preface, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Blog REPLY No. 1</u></li> <li><u>Extra Credit: Contact an Australian</u></li> </ul>	

			student, send him or her an e-mail (see assignment sheet in Blackboard "Assignments")	
Day 6	Wed., Sept. 24	<b>WORLD</b> How the world views us: The global picture	<ul> <li>Pew Global Attitudes Poll, June 2008: pp. 1-11, Overview, AND, Chap. 2, pp. 21-34, Views of the U.S. (<u>Blackboard</u> <u>Readings</u>)</li> <li>Shlapentokh, V. et al. "After 9/11: Attitudes toward the U.S." (pp. 1-14)</li> <li><u>Global Forum POST No. 2</u></li> <li><u>Global Forum REPLY No. 1:</u> You should have replied to at least ONE Australian/Slovenian student's post by this date.</li> </ul>	
Day 7	Mon., Sept. 29	<b>WORLD/EUROPE</b> America: The empire with no clothes?	<ul> <li>Ferguson, N. "The empire slinks back" (pp. 314-323, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li>Todd, E. "After the empire: The breakdown of the American order" (pp. 15-23, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Global Forum REPLY No. 2:</u> You should have replied to at least TWO total Australian/Slovenian student's post by this date.</li> <li><u>Blog POST No. 2</u></li> </ul>	Study abroad student interview paper due
Day 8	Wed., Oct. 1	<b>EUROPE</b> An historic overview of European views of the U.S and American views of Europe <u>Video:</u> "The anti-Americans"	<ul> <li>Nolan, M. "Anti-Americanism and anti- Europeanism" (pp. 113-132, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li>ALSO → Read Europe group's two readings</li> <li><u>Europe Group</u>: Report on your group research on European views up to this point, provide links to TWO interesting articles to read, discuss, &amp; debate</li> <li><u>Blog REPLY No. 2</u></li> </ul>	Europe Group Post two readings/list of questions to class discussion board <u>no</u> <u>later than</u> <u>Mon., Sept.</u> 29 at 5 p.m.
Day 9	Mon., Oct. 6	<b>EUROPE</b> Framing analysis: Critically engaging media coverage	<ul> <li>Dimitrova, D. &amp; Strömbäck, J. "Mission accomplished? Framing of the Iraq War in elite newspapers in Sweden &amp; the U.S." (pp. 399-417, <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Global Forum POST No. 3</u></li> </ul>	
Day 10	Wed.,	ASIA Framing analysis: Critically engaging media coverage	- Fung, A. "China and Hong Kong	<u>Asia Group</u> Post two

	Oct. 8		<ul> <li>reporting on the U.S." (pp. 91-102)</li> <li>ALSO → Read Asia group's two readings</li> <li><u>Asia Group</u>: Report on your group research on Asian views up to this point, provide links to TWO interesting articles to read, discuss, &amp; debate</li> <li><u>Global Forum REPLY No. 3:</u> You should have replied to at least THREE total Australian/Slovenian student's post by this date.</li> </ul>	readings/list of questions to class discussion board <u>no</u> <u>later than</u> <u>Mon. Oct. 6</u> <u>at 5 p.m.</u>
Day 11	Mon., Oct. 13	AFRICA DVD: "Lost Boys of Sudan"	Read pp. 9-30 in "Lost Boys of Sudan Thematic Essays" ( <u>Blackboard readings</u> ) - <u>Blog <b>POST</b> No. 3</u> - Extra Credit: <u>Contact a Slovenian</u> <u>student</u> , send him or her an e-mail (see assignment sheet in Blackboard "Assignments")	
Day 12	Wed., Oct. 15	<b>AFRICA</b> Guest speaker, Mark Hagar	<ul> <li>Araya, S. <u>"The misrepresentation of Africa"</u></li> <li>Allafrica.com. Kenya: What is in the Word Tribe?</li> <li><u>http://allafrica.com/stories/200801240692</u></li> <li><u>http://allafrica.com/stories/200801240692</u></li> <li><u>httml</u></li> <li>Dependency &amp; humanitarian relief (Blackboard readings)</li> <li>ALSO → Read Africa group's two readings</li> <li><u>Africa Group</u>: Report on your group research on African views up to this point, provide links to TWO interesting articles to read, discuss, &amp; debate</li> <li><u>Blog REPLY No. 3</u></li> </ul>	Africa Group Post two readings/list of questions to class discussion board <u>no</u> <u>later than</u> <u>Mon. Oct. 13</u> <u>at 5 p.m.</u> .
Day 13	Mon., Oct. 20	LATIN AMERICA Guest speaker, Margie Thompson	- Readings TBA - <u>Global Forum <b>POST</b> No. 4</u>	Latin America Group Post two readings/list of questions to class discussion board <u>no</u> <u>later than</u> <u>Mon. Oct. 20</u> <u>at 5 p.m.</u>
Day 14	Wed., Oct. 22	LATIN AMERICA Views from Bolivia, Venezuela & Mexico	- Hudson, S. "Bolivian nationalization further sidelines U.S." (Reuters,	

			Blackboard Readings)         - "Latin America Breaking Washington's         Grip." (La Jornada, Mexico)         - "Chavez funds alliance with Cuba, Bolivia to counter 'empire'." (La Jornada, Mexico)         - Rohter, L. "Bush to set out shift in agenda on Latin trip" (NYT, Blackboard readings)         - ALSO → Read Latin America group's two readings         - Latin America Group: Report on your group research on Latin American views up to this point, provide links to TWO interesting articles to read, discuss, & debate	
Day 15	Mon., Oct. 27	<b>THE MIDDLE EAST</b> Media images and the "war of ideas" <u>DVD:</u> "Control Room"	<ul> <li>Pein, C. "Is Al-Jazeera ready for prime time?" (salon.com; <u>Blackboard Readings)</u></li> <li>Memmot, M. "Former Marine in media glare as he joins Al-Jazeera" (<i>USA Today</i>; Blackboard Readings)</li> <li>Souheila Al-Jadda. "Does Al-Jazeera belong in the USA?" (USA Today; <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li>Krane, J. "Al Jazeera English scores gains" (Associated Press; <u>Blackboard Readings</u>)</li> <li><u>Global Forum REPLY No. 4</u>; You should have replied to at least FOUR total Australian/Slovenian student's post by this date.</li> <li><u>Blog POST No. 4</u></li> </ul>	
Day 16	Wed., Oct. 29	THE MIDDLE EAST Media images and the "war of ideas" <u>Video:</u> "Control Room" GUEST SPEAKER (?): Josh Rushing, Al Jazeera English Correspondent and/or Mariam Simpson, Producer, Al Jazeera English	<ul> <li>Read Middle East group's two readings</li> <li><u>Middle East Group</u>: Report on your group research on Middle Eastern views up to this point, provide links to TWO interesting articles to read, discuss, &amp; debate</li> <li>Milbank, D. "Live from Golden, Colo., it's Al-Jazeera" (Washington Post, 8-28- 08; Blackboard readings)</li> <li><u>Global Forum POST No. 5</u></li> <li><u>Blog REPLY No. 4</u></li> </ul>	Analysis paper due <u>Middle East</u> <u>Group</u> Post two readings/list of questions to class discussion board <u>no</u> <u>later than</u> <u>Mon. Oct. 27</u> <u>at 5 p.m.</u>
Day 17	Mon., Nov. 3	THE MIDDLE EAST Views from Iran	Reading TBA - <u>Global Forum <b>REPLY</b> No. 5:</u> You	

		Guest Speaker: Morehshin Allahyari	should have replied to at least FIVE total Australian/Slovenian student's post by this date.	
Day 18	Wed., Nov. 5	NO CLASS – PREPARE FOR GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS	NO CLASS – PREPARE FOR GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS - Global Forum POST - <u>EXTRA CREDIT</u> - Global Forum REPLY – <u>EXTRA</u> <u>CREDIT</u>	
Day 19	Mon., Nov. 10	GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS	GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS - Europe Group - Asia Group - Africa Group	
Day 20	Wed., Nov. 12	GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS	GROUP PROJECT PRESENTATIONS - Latin America Group - Middle East Group	Final Group Project Papers Due